Per unit cost and realisation of power

*36. SHRI PARMESHWAR KUMAR AGARWALLA: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) what is the average cost of production per unit of power in various States as on date and what is the per unit realisation therefrom; and

(b) what is the estimated average cost of production per unit of power in various States after the production and distribution of power is handed over to private sector and how much will be the per unit charges these private sector power units would realise from consumers?

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI N.K.P. SALVE): (a) The accounts of the State Electricity Boards for the year 1994-95 are due to be received in the Central Electricity Authority on and after 30th September, 1995. A Statement indicating the average cost of supply and average realisation of State Electricity Boards for the year ending 31st March, 1994 is enclosed (*See* below).

(b) Power generated by the private generating companies will be purchased by the State Electricity Boards in bulk and then sold to the consumers on the basis of pooled cost of the SEB and the pooled cost will vary on a year to year basis depending upon the cost of various inputs such as Coal, Oil, O&M, administrative expenses etc. As regards the realisation, this will depend upon the tariff fixed by the SEBs from time to time.

Statement

Average Cost of Supply and Average Realisation of State Electricity Boards for the year ending 31st March, 1994

S. No.	Name of the SEBs	Average cost of supply	Average Realisation
			Paise/Kwh
1	Andhra Pradesh	114.10	99.58
2.	Bihar	203.37	151.75
3.	Gujarat	158.82	143.64
4.	Haryana	162.32	92.09
5.	Himachal Pradesh	116.11	99.96
6.	Karnataka	118.78	111.10
7.	Kerala	100.76	89.43
8.	Madhya Pradesh	159.45	138.72
9.	Maharashtra	157.08	155.99
10.	Orissa	132.95	103.65
11.	Punjab	149.20	98.43
12.	Rajasthan	176.84	128.02
13.	Tamil Nadu	156.31	129.27
14.	Uttar Pradesh	189.55	116.89
15.	West Bengal	174.79	139.46
16.	Assam	351.81	127.25
17.	Meghalya	114.43	92.12
	TOTAL:	153.22	125.32